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If any extensions of time are needed for timely acceptance of papers submitted herewith, applicant hereby petitions for such extension under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 and authorizes payment of any such extensions fees to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

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***IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE***

Applicants: Angela M. BELCHER et al.

Title: FABRICATED BIOFILM STORAGE DEVICE

Appl. No.: 10/668,600

Filing Date: 09/24/2003

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Art Unit: 1639

**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT AND AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Non-Final Office Action dated March 20, 2006, concerning the above-referenced patent application.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this document.

**Remarks** begin on page 20 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows: